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REMARKS

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Claims 1-17 are pending in the present application.

The Examiner has required election in the present application between:

Group 1, claims 1-10, drawn to an apparatus for conducting a test by pressing input/output terminals of electronic devices to be tested against contact portions of a test head using a moving means while holding electronic devices to be tested on an electronic device conveying medium, classified in class 324, subclass 754; and

Group 2, claims 11-17, drawn to a method of testing an electronic device, classified in class 324, subclass 158.1.

For the purpose of examination of the present application, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group 1, Claims 1-10.

The Examiner has required an election in the present application between:

Species A, illustrated in Fig. 1; and

Species B, illustrated in Fig. 13.

For the purpose of examination of the present application, Applicants elect Species A, illustrated in Fig. 1, with traverse.

Claims 1-10 are directed to the elected species.

It is respectfully submitted that it should be no undue burden on the Examiner to consider all claims and figures in the single application. Reconsideration and withdrawal of this Restriction Requirement are respectfully requested.

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In the event that the Examiner persists in this requirement, Applicants reserve the right to file a Divisional application at a later time, if so desired.

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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